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# The day Halifax helped

► Thousands of passengers found refuge in shelters and Halifax homes on 9-11 ► U.S. to recognize Halifax Stanfield International Airport during morning ceremony on Sunday



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It was a day where time had no meaning.

Staff at the Halifax airport were already busy on the morning of Sept. 11, 2001, preparing for the impending arrival of Prime Minister Jean Chrétien. RCMP officers were conducting their usual threat assessment when chaos descended.

Art Ives was the airport duty manager that day. He was just digesting the news coverage of a plane smashing into the World Trade Center when he got the call — 40 to 50 aircraft would

be on his doorstep starting in a half-hour because of the no-fly zone.

"It's something I'll never forget," he said in a recent interview with Metro. "It was a day that time was nothing."

Ives retired in 2006 after

30 years working at the airport, and that day will always stick out in his memory.

The first flight arrived at 11:30 a.m. and the last touched down at 1:30 p.m. All told, 40 airplanes made unexpected stops in Hal-

ifax, some staying for as long as five days.

"We had 8,000 visitors in one day," Ives said.

The apron wouldn't hold all those massive international flights, so Ives directed them to be parked on the runway. Then there was

the matter of getting all the passengers off the planes. It took some time before permission was granted by several agencies, and then passengers were only allowed to take their carry-on baggage, which was sniffed out by dogs.

Offloading started at 3:30 p.m. and the last passenger was cleared at 4 a.m. "They were quiet and very co-operative. They were in shock, too," Ives said.

Ives said he remembers Halifax was a centre for media coverage that day.

"The world was watching Halifax that day, and the world was watching New York."

## REMEMBERING

### Motorcycle club paying tribute

At least 100 motorcyclists will be riding in

HRM in remembrance of the victims of Sept. 11, 2001.

The Red Knights Motorcycle Club's 9-11 Memorial Ride starts out at the Empire Theatres in Dartmouth Crossing with registration beginning at 11 a.m. The police motorcycle brigade will be

joined by at least four fire trucks and over 100 motorcyclists.

They'll leave Dartmouth Crossing, heading to Cole Harbour before crossing the MacKay Bridge. Riders will disperse at Africville.

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# Acadia student dies in hospital

► Teenager had been in critical condition since Tuesday ► It's being reported he was from Calgary

A 19-year-old Alberta teen found unconscious following a night of reported binge drinking at Acadia University has died.

The RCMP were called to the university campus around 12:30 a.m. on Tuesday and found the first-year student not breathing in a dorm room.

Police spokeswoman Sgt. Brigdit Leger said they learned on Thursday afternoon the teen had died and his body was being kept on life support for organ harvesting.

She said at the family's request, police will not release his name.

"Based on the information we gathered during our preliminary investiga-

tion, the RCMP does not suspect foul play in this death," Leger stated.

Student Nathan Rodger said the victim had a 40-ounce bottle of liquor and drank it straight.

An autopsy was expected on Friday.

Acadia issued a statement Thursday, and like police, was respecting the family's wishes "that no other personal details be released."

"This tragic accident is a reminder to all of us of how fragile life can be and how quickly future promise can be replaced by grief and sadness," said Ray Ivany, Acadia's president and vice-chancellor.

PHILIP CROUCHER

Wave. Rider



► A surfer rides a wave in Cow Bay on Thursday.

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## A warning for beachgoers

Weather forecasters say Hurricane Katia is expected to remain well off the coast of Atlantic Canada, but they're warning Nova Scotia beachgoers to be careful with sea swells of two to three metres expected along the coast for the next couple of days.

## Halifax police give review officer records

Halifax police have given the review officer who oversees Nova Scotia's access-to-information system the majority of records she requested about the operation of a lie-detector business, weeks after they refused to do so.

Dulcie McCallum says the Halifax Regional Police department gave her most of the records on Tuesday, which will allow her to determine whether any of the documents can be released to The Canadian Press.

"I am pleased with this result as now I am able to continue with the review and fulfill my mandate," McCallum said in a statement Thursday.

In July, McCallum issued a scathing report that accused the police of "stonewalling" and undermining her oversight role after the force refused to send her

### Suspensions

► **Officers.** In late March, Halifax police said two officers were suspended with pay under the Police Act. Deputy Chief Chris McNeil was one of those officers.

records about whether any officers operated a private lie-detector company in contravention of internal rules.

At the time, the police department said it was refusing to grant her access to the records that were requested by The Canadian Press because they were related to a prosecution and therefore not subject to a review.

Const. Brian Palmeter said Thursday the police gave her the records because the investigation's completed.

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# Final bell rings at boxing club

- Building on Gottingen Street will probably be sold
- Schedule for November fight card still up in the air



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Thirteen-year-old Bianca Paquin is going to keep boxing after her club is closed, but it's going to make it a little tougher.

The not-for-profit Palooka's Boxing Club on Gottingen Street told its clientele on Thursday it would shut down by Sept. 30.

"It's going to suck because I'll have to go to a different gym," Paquin said. And that means a much longer commute to a gym in Sackville for the teen who trains several times a week.

Local businessman Mickey MacDonald opened Palooka's in 2008 as a way

**"There are more efficient ways to accomplish the goals I have than create a boxing gym."**

**MICKEY MACDONALD,  
PALOOKA'S OWNER**

to help at-risk youth.

"It just wasn't meeting the goals and expectations I was setting out for it," MacDonald said. "We had some interest from the kids, but not enough to warrant the expense and cost of the building, and we weren't making the impact on the kids that I wanted to see."

He provided the building and sunk \$3 million into it. But he said it wasn't

about the money — it was about the impact on the youth.

After training on Thursday, amateur boxer Dan Trenaman said it's a shame to lose such a great facility for training and hosting amateur fights.

"It's been good for a grassroots thing to help grow the sport of boxing in Nova Scotia," he said.

"There's slowly starting to be a new crop of talent on an amateur level, so hopefully those kids don't get too displaced across the city."

Jamaal Wright Berbick has only been training at Palooka's for two months, but said the closing is a setback for him.

"I think this gym has a lot of potential," he said.



► Jamaal Wright Berbick works the bag at Palooka's Boxing Club on Gottingen Street on Thursday. The gym is closing its doors at the end of this month.

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# Taking a journey back in time

► Capsule gives students new and old a unique peek at 1941 ► QEH was the biggest school in the province when it was built that year ► Province will work with the Halifax Regional School Board on what to do with the contents



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With a little puff of dust, Queen Elizabeth High School's time capsule from 1941 was cracked open with a screwdriver and cutters on Thursday.

Inside were a handful of mildewed, yellowed newspapers, stamps and a nickel.

Wearing white gloves, an archivist pulled out the items onto a table in Citadel High School's cafeteria as QEH alumni and Citadel students watched.

"You wonder what would be in there and what would you put in your own treasure box," said Hazel Andrews, who sat in the front row with two friends she met at QEH nearly 70 years ago.

## History lesson

**Contents of the time capsule, dated 1941, found recently in a cornerstone of Queen Elizabeth High School:**

- Newspapers from Sept. 29, 1941, one with the headline: "18 lost as Corvette sinks."
- Report from the Board of School Commissioners from 1940.
- Document from the committee of school sites.
- Nickel.
- Postage stamp.

She was in Grade 10 when the school opened in 1942.

Andrews said she was surprised at the poor shape of the papers considering the box was sealed

when it was placed in the cornerstone.

Wallace Matthews, 82, told the crowd what it was like to go to high school in 1942 with a devastating world war going on.

"Whenever a student lost a loved one, we all felt the pain," he said.

He said history class was replaced by a course in which students learned navigation, Morse code and civil defence.

Laura Brunt, 17, said in some ways high school wasn't much different back then — except for the war.

Fellow Grade 12 student Janessa Caravan, 17, said she was impressed by the contents of the capsule.

"I was hoping there would be a note, but the money is pretty cool," she said.



► Scanning history: Former QEH student Wallace Matthews, left, Margaret Campbell from Nova Scotia Archives, and Communities, Culture and Heritage Minister Dave Wilson examine the time capsule's contents.

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# No cause for Goodwood car explosion



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Police say they don't know what caused an explosion in a fatal accident in Goodwood on Thursday morning.

Halifax Regional Police say their preliminary investigation suggests a man obtained a jerry can of gasoline from the Irving gas station on Prospect Road around 9:30 a.m.

After getting into his

car and pulling out of the parking lot onto Evergreen Place, an explosion occurred inside the vehicle.

Police spokesman Const. Brian Palmeter said the car — which was on fire — swerved down Evergreen Place and crashed into a power pole.

Halifax regional fire was able to put out the blaze, but Palmeter said the male driver was pronounced dead at the

scene.

"At this point, we don't know the cause of the incident," said Palmeter, adding the victim was the only person inside the car. "This is the evidence we have and the end result is someone lost their life."

But Palmeter did say foul play wasn't suspected.

As of late Thursday, police weren't able to officially identify the body but they believe they know who the man is.

## Under Investigation

The Nova Scotia medical examiner has been called in to investigate.

They are now waiting on a positive identification.

"Obviously, there's something that sparked the explosion," Palmeter said. "We don't now if (the gas can) was up front or in the back seat at this point."



► Investigators examine a vehicle after an explosion and fire near a gas station in Goodwood on Thursday.

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## Convicted murderer challenging sentence

A Nova Scotia man found guilty last year of second-degree murder after a fatal beating has lost his appeal of the verdict but will be allowed to challenge his sentence.

Shane Ward was sentenced in January 2010 to

serve at least 16 years before becoming eligible for parole after a jury found him guilty in the death of Philip Love, who was bludgeoned with an aluminum baseball bat.

Love died in hospital in January 2008, about a week after he was beaten inside his Halifax-area home.

In granting leave to appeal the sentence, the province's Court of Appeal reduced Ward's period of parole ineligibility to 13½ years.

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## Motorist charged with stunting

North Sydney police say they have charged a 30-year-old Newfoundland man with stunting after he was clocked driving his motorcycle 119 km/h in a 70 km/h zone.

Police say he accelerated to avoid police and then was caught. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

## Four sailors rescued from ocean

Four French sailors were rescued Thursday from the Atlantic Ocean about 1,600 km off Provincetown, Mass. The rescue centre in Halifax called coast guard officials in Boston after they were contacted by the father of the sailboat's captain. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

# Citadel plans makeover

► Two hotels planned for the corner of Brunswick Street and Cogswell Street ► Silverbirch notes view planes from Citadel Hill will be maintained



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The owners of Halifax's Citadel Hotel have submitted a plan to redesign the building to city hall.

The planned redevelopment will include two new hotels, a residential building, retail space and a restaurant. The two hotels will have a combined total of 278 rooms, while the residential component will feature approximately 130 apartments.

According to Silverbirch's website, the project will focus on more pedestrian traffic than vehicular traffic, and will include ground-level commercial space to attract passersby.

"With a focus on people, sustainability and activity, the new project will

► A photo illustration of the planned design for the current Citadel Hotel site.



add to a vibrant downtown core and positively impact the surrounding area," the website reads. "All proposed upgrades align with HRM by design guidelines, while balancing attention to heritage assets and contemporary architecture."

The website also touts the economic benefits for

the city, should it approve the project. Silverbirch estimates the project will contribute \$1,646,000 in property taxes, \$2,097,000 in HST from food and beverages, and \$244,000 in hotel levies for a total of \$3,987,000 to city and provincial coffers.

The Citadel Hotel has occupied the corner of

## Check it out

For more information, visit the project's website at [citadelhotelmakeover.com](http://citadelhotelmakeover.com)

Brunswick and Cogswell streets since 1963, when it opened as Citadel Inn.

Over 48 years, the hotel has had two major renovations — one in 1974 and one in 1980. Silverbirch president and CEO Steve Giblin said in June that after looking at the site, his company determined a complete re-thinking was necessary.

Employees were notified then they would be out of work as of Jan. 1, when the current version of the hotel will close for an estimated 18 months while the new buildings are being constructed.

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# Four downtown streets converting to one-way

- Street changes based on recommendations from HRM by Design
- Sloane says reaction from businesses, residents is mixed



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The first of three phase changes to downtown Halifax traffic patterns is set to come into effect in just over a week, changing a handful of downtown streets to one-way arteries.

As of Monday, Sept. 19, four downtown streets will be converted to one-ways, another converted for two-way traffic and one street will change directions.

Under the new scheme,

sections of Blowers, Sackville, George and Grandville streets will become one-way streets. Grafton Street between Sackville and Prince will be converted into a two-way street, and Market Street between Blowers and Carmichael will change directions to south-north.

The intent of the changes, according to HRM staff, is to better organize downtown traffic flows, allow for new bike lanes in the downtown core, and provide increased on-street

parking opportunities.

Downtown Coun. Dawn Sloane said Thursday she's received mixed reviews about the project from businesses lining the affected streets.

"The businesses think it's good in one way, in that it will free up more parking spots," said Sloane. "Others are thinking that, 'Now you've just confused all my customers and they'll never come back downtown.' So there's of course the double-edged sword there."

## Change details

► Visit [halifax.ca/traffic](http://halifax.ca/traffic) for full details of the Phase 1 changes, including a map of the affected streets.

Sloane said the municipality has to do a good job of educating commuters about the changes and promoting them as much as possible. The other two phases of the project are tentatively scheduled to be released in October and March.



► Several downtown streets will be converted into one-way only starting on Sept. 19.

SATURDAY

## Cole Harbour hosting parade

If you love parades, you'll want to head out to Cole Harbour on Saturday morning. The Cole Harbour Harvest Festival is hosting its first-ever

Grand Street Parade on Saturday beginning at 10 a.m. The parade featuring over 50 entries, including bands, floats, circus groups and clowns, will begin at Pope John XXIII Church on Colby Drive and turn onto Cumberland Drive, then north across Cole Harbour Road before finishing up on Forest Hills Parkway. The parade ends on the corner of Forest Hills Parkway and Auburn Drive. ● METRO

## News in brief

RYAN TAPLIN/METRO



► Paul Van Dyck at the Atlantic Fringe Festival.

## Fringe Festival picks up steam

The Atlantic Fringe Festival announced on Thursday that seven days into the 11-day event, they surpassed their box office total from all of 2010.

The festival at various venues in Halifax opened on Sept. 1 and wraps up Sunday. "Like always, this year's Fringe has seen its hits and its misses, which

doesn't necessarily reflect on the quality of the work, just whether it nabbed an audience," festival organizer Thom Fitzgerald said in a release. "Overall, artists will definitely go home with more money this year than last year." ● METRO

## All welcome at Bark in the Park

Bark in the Park, the signature fundraising event for the Nova Scotia SPCA's Provincial Animal Shelter in Dartmouth, is taking place this weekend. The event on Saturday will be held at Africville — formerly Seaview Memorial Park — with everyone, and their dogs, welcome. Registration begins at 10:30 a.m. and the event lasts until 2 p.m. ● METRO

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# Contractors have job options: Parker

► Premier Dexter in Port Hawkesbury Friday to announce support for 400 woodlot employees



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Energy Minister Charlie Parker says there are a number of options to keep 400 woodlot contractors working after the closure of Port Hawkesbury's NewPage Mill.

But all 400 may not be working in harvesting wood for other Nova Scotian mills.

Speaking after a cabinet meeting Thursday, Parker said the province is considering alternative jobs for some of those contractors.

"We're trying to find the right amount of wood that should come on the market, the right amount of contractors that should be employed," Parker told reporters. "Maybe some of them will be (harvesting), some of them will be doing other things."

When asked to clarify the statement, Parker said



► Charlie Parker

we'll "have to wait and see" for the specifics of how the NDP intends to keep those contractors working until Premier Darrell Dexter announces a strategy on Friday.

That strategy is expected to include not only help for the contractors, but details on what exactly will be done with Crown-land wood promised to NewPage.

Dexter has hinted that additional capacity for wood exists at other mills in the province, including Bowater Mersey mill in Liv-

## Strategy

Premier Darrell Dexter said the strategy he'll reveal Friday will ensure the NewPage mill will have enough wood to resume operations immediately, should a buyer be found.

erpool. Defence Minister Peter Mackay also made statements to that effect in a press conference on Tuesday.

It is not known if the strategy will include measures for the some 600 mill employees now out of work.

The province is currently seeking a buyer for the beleaguered mill, which filed for creditor protection in Nova Scotia Supreme Court on Tuesday.

The mill will go into "hot idle" mode beginning Saturday, when the first of two paper machines shuts down.

## NATURE TRUST

### Islands getting protection

Acadia University and the Nova Scotia Nature Trust have partnered up to pro-

tect 300 acres of coastline.

The two organizations will work together to protect a series of ecologically significant islands already owned by the university. The land will remain in Acadia's possession, but the university signed a memorandum of understanding to permanently protect the islands.

The first island to be protected is Bon portage Island, located in Shag Harbour. The 300-acre island is "one of Nova Scotia's last remaining large, unspoiled coastal islands and one of the most ecologically important islands," according to the Nature Trust.

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## The words that arose from the Twin Towers' fall

The attacks of Sept. 11, 2001, had a profound impact on nearly every facet of society, including the English language.

University of Toronto associate professor of linguistics Rena Helms-Park outlines the ways in which 9-11 shaped the way we speak.

**Ground Zero:** The term was originally used to describe the site of the Hiroshima bombing of 1945. Now the phrase has just one definition — the site of the former twin towers.

**Guantanamo Bay:** Before the U.S.-led crackdown on terrorist activity,

Guantanamo Bay was nothing more than a locale near Cuba, Helms-Park said. Once the American prison began housing suspected terrorists, however, the meaning changed. "Now it's become a symbol of one wrong being used to right another wrong," she

said.

**9-11:** They use to be three numbers North Americans could dial in case of an emergency. They then became shorthand for the event itself and all that resulted from it.

**No-fly list:** Prior to 9-11, there was little need for a list of people who were

not permitted to travel by air. Helms-Park said the term is likely here to stay. **Axis of Evil:** The term, coined by former U.S. president George W. Bush to describe Iran, Iraq and North Korea, was invented to more clearly define the "war on terror."

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**T**oday, 10 years after, we still live in a 9-11 world.

It's a world of diminished expectations, a world darkened by fear and shadows.

But it's also a world with a few surprises up its sleeve.

The mastermind of 9-11, Osama bin Laden, is dead. You could argue that the War on Terror is over.

And Muslim nations, one after the other, have

turned their backs on Osama's bogus jihad, opting instead for freedom and rebirth: The Arab Spring.

We, er, won.

But the cost has been almost too much to bear. America, not long ago the self-declared greatest nation in the world, is a spent force.

The War on Terror has drained the treasury, and no one's cheering for the man who tracked down bin Laden and ended the ruinous detour into Iraq. Barack Obama is down so low that everything looks like up to him.

It will take a long time for the shadows of 9-11 to

dissipate.

Since that day, Canada has spent an extra \$92 billion on security, too much of it frisking little old ladies and small children in airports. But do we feel any safer? Despite all the tedious precautions, one terrorist almost managed to blow up a plane, failing only because he was too clumsy to set his shoe on fire. With guys like that on the loose, it would be foolish to let down our guard. Is that a nail file in your purse, lady?

One of the darkest shadows of 9-11 is the spin. Otherwise enlightened people think it was our own fault, that Osama bin Laden was



► The Pentagon in the aftermath of 9-11.

the instrument of our chastisement. Because we depend on Mideast oil. Because we support Israel. Because of our attitude.

Then there are those who seriously believe that 9-11 was an inside job, and proclaim it on lamp posts and the walls of buildings.

That the Pentagon attacked the Pentagon to manipulate public opinion into approving another war.

Weapons of mass delusion.

Still, 10 years later, Osama bin Laden is gone, there are fledgling "democ-

racies" in Iraq and Afghanistan, and just try to smuggle a bomb onto an airplane in your under-shorts.

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▶ Seventeen Canadian airports welcomed stranded air passengers on Sept. 11, 2001 ▶ New Yorker John Balistreri has returned twice in the past 10 years to visit friends he made during his unexpected stay

## 9-11 by the numbers

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**3,519** Number of days since September 11, 2001, it took for U.S. forces to kill Osama bin Laden.

**\$1.283 trillion**

U.S. Congress has approved this amount for "military operations, base security, reconstruction, foreign aid, embassy costs and veterans' health care for the three operations initiated since the 9-11 attacks."

**10K** Number of firefighters, police officers and civilians exposed to the terrorist attack on the World Trade Center that have been found to have post-traumatic stress disorder.

**422,000**

Estimated number of New Yorkers suffering from post-traumatic-stress disorder as a result of 9-11.

**\$4.3B** Amount passed by Congress for the compensation and treatment of people with 9-11-related illnesses.

**83,100**

Number of jobs lost in New York City from September 2001 to July 2002, according to a New York City comptroller's report.

**\$6.7B** Estimated cost in 2002 to rebuild the World Trade Center towers, according to a New York City comptroller's report.

**1,714**

Total number of hate crimes reported to the Council on American-Islamic Relations nationwide since the attack.\*

\* According to a New York magazine report on the 9-11 attacks



# Harbour of welcome

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There's one flight New Yorker John Balistreri will never forget.

He was on his way home on a Singapore Airlines flight on Sept. 11, 2001, when all commercial air traffic was temporarily suspended.

Eight thousand lost, confused and in-shock airline passengers descended into Halifax and were met with loving, open arms.

"The emotions ranged from genuine shock at what was going on in N.Y.C. to genuine appreciation and warmth for the people I met in Lower Sackville while I was 'stuck' in Canada," said Balistreri in an email in-

**"I will be catching up via email with everyone from up north as usual, trying to make sense of the fact that 10 years have already gone by since the time I was stuck there, unwittingly making new friends while trying to figure out if I lost any back home."**

NEW YORKER JOHN BALISTRERI, WHO WAS STRANDED FOR FOUR DAYS

terview.

He and about 280 other passengers on his flight were taken to Millwood High School in Lower Sackville. Other stranded passengers were sent to three other Halifax-area high schools or billeted in private homes.

"We had so many people from the area that volunteered that there were times we had to

take names and say, 'We'll call you,'" said former Millwood principal Phil Legere.

For the locals, it was something they could do to show support and help out during the crisis.

"When it was put in front of you, here's something you can do, I think everybody wanted to be part of it," Legere said.

Students, who had the

week off, came in to take small children staying at the temporary shelter out to the park. Volunteers picked up passengers at the school to take them shopping for clothes.

"It wasn't just the generosity of the town, with their hospitality and volunteering. It was their genuine care and friendship for complete strangers that took me by surprise," said Balistreri.

"As a typical jaded New Yorker, to be able to have spent these torturous days right after the attack with such amazing, caring people did wonders for the way I was able to process what was going on while being so far from home."

## Reader's comments

Metro asked readers what we have learned from 9-11. Here's what they had to say:



**Sandra Nelson**

27, WINNIPEG

"It showed us that it's important to stick together ... and to realize that there's no one right answer to solve the world's problems."



**Jeff Sage**

43, LONDON, ONT.

"We've learned that as a society we need to be more tolerant, more understanding, more transparent and more inclusive than ever."



**Jacqueline Stesco**

23, OTTAWA

"To declare your religious beliefs has, I think, more weight since then."



**Braydon Berggran**

19, DARTMOUTH

"It's one of those things where we have to be cautious over more, but we still can't live in fear."

## Events marking the 10th anniversary of Sept. 11

### HALIFAX:

U.S. Consul General Anton Smith will present a plaque thanking Halifax airport employees and the surrounding community in honour of 9-11 on Sunday at 9 a.m. at

the observation deck at Halifax Stanfield International Airport.

### NEW YORK:

U.S. President Barack Obama and former president George W. Bush are

expected at an observance at the World Trade Center. At night, the art installation Tribute in Light will project beams of light into the sky in memory of those killed.

### WASHINGTON:

A tribute concert at the Kennedy Center will feature Wynton Marsalis, Emmylou Harris and Denyce Graves. The event will be streamed live on Facebook. ● METRO



Three university students now in their 20s recall the 9-11 attacks and their reaction to the day's events. To read the story visit [metronews.ca](http://metronews.ca)

VALENTINA PETROVA/THE CANADIAN PRESS



► Several countries now allow gay men to donate blood.

# Changing the rules?

► Britain allows blood donation by gay men ► Canada may follow suit  
► Tainted-blood scandal makes authorities wary of policy change

British authorities opened the door yesterday by allowing some gay men to donate blood, a move Canada's two blood collec-

tion agencies hope to follow.

But concerns about the safety of the blood supply that stem from the tainted

blood scandal of the 1990s may lead Canada to adopt a more restrictive policy than the one Britain announced, some figures involved in the debate suggest.

"We're not totally closed to change at this point, but we need to go carefully," David Page, national executive director of the Canadian Hemophilia Society, said from Montreal.

Yesterday Britain joined South Africa, Australia, New Zealand, Japan and several other countries in doing away with the now controversial lifetime ban on blood donations from gay men.

Starting in November, gay men in Britain who haven't had sex with other gay men for at least 12 months will be eligible to give blood. In South Africa the deferral period is six months; in New Zealand it is five years.

Toronto lawyer Adrian Lomaga, who has been fighting for this type of policy change in Canada, welcomed the news.

"Given the research I've seen to date, I think a 12-

**"Our Canadian psyche is marred by the tainted blood scandal"**

DANA DEVINE,  
CANADIAN BLOOD SERVICES

month deferral period is reasonable. I'm comfortable with that as being a deferral period in Canada," said Lomaga, who filed a lawsuit against Quebec's blood agency, Hema-Quebec, when he was a student at McGill University.

"I don't think it would increase in any significant way the risk to the blood recipients in Canada."

However, spokespeople for both Hema-Quebec and Canadian Blood Services — which operates the blood donation system in the rest of Canada — acknowledged the agencies feel that it's time for a change.

"Our hope is that we move away from a permanent ban to a timed deferral," said Dana Devine, vice-president for medical, scientific and research services for Canadian Blood Services. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**



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## Galliano avoids jail time for slurs

John Galliano's drunken anti-Semitic ravings cost him his job at Paris luxury house Christian Dior and gave him a criminal record but won't land him in jail, a Paris court ruled yesterday.

The court found Galliano guilty on two counts of "public insults based on origin, religious affiliation, race or ethnicity" — charges that carry a maximum sentence of six months in prison and fines of up to \$20,000.

But the three-magistrate panel showed leniency, sentencing the legendary designer to an \$8,400 suspended fine, which means it goes on Galliano's criminal record



► John Galliano

but he does not have to pay it. The court did not give Galliano prison time.

Presiding judge Anne-Marie Sauteraud said the magistrates' clemency was in part due to the fact that the designer had apologized to the court and the plaintiffs — who contended the designer showered them with a litany of racist and anti-Semitic insults in two separate run-ins at a Paris watering hole.

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## AMBER ALERT

## Police seek missing B.C. boy, 3

The father of missing three-year-old Kienan Hebert is holding out hope that his son will soon be back at home in Sparwood, B.C., safe and sound.

The boy, who is the subject of an Amber Alert, was last seen when his family put him to bed Tuesday evening at his



► Kienan Hebert

home in the southeastern B.C. community, about 260 kilometres southwest of Calgary. He was reported missing at about 9 a.m. Wednesday morning.

He's described by police as a red-haired Caucasian boy who was last seen wearing a blue pair of Scooby Doo boxer shorts.

Police are also looking for Randall Hopley, 46, who is of no relation to Hebert, and a brown 1987 Toyota Camry with the licence plate 098RAL. Police warn the public not to approach the vehicle.

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► Randall Hopley

# Cherished pet killed deliberately: Owner

► Cat run over while sitting on grass beside the road ► Witnesses say driver acted on purpose

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METRO CANADA IN LONDON, ONT.

Bonnie Cayen has hardly slept a wink this week.

"I've just been a mess," Cayen said. "She's my shadow. She followed me everywhere ... slept with me."

Cayen, 54, is talking about her three-year-old cat Maggie. Or, as she was affectionately nicknamed, "Boo Boo Kitty."

Maggie died Saturday evening after being hit by a pickup while sitting on a patch of grass in London,

Ont.

"He literally stopped his truck, aimed it at her ... and gunned it," Cayen told Metro. "How can you do that to an innocent little cat?"

Cayen missed the attack, but neighbours saw the large, new-model navy-blue pickup that took Maggie's life. Witnesses gave chase, but they lost the truck a few blocks away when it entered traffic on a busy road.

Maggie was sort of a mascot for Cayen's neighbourhood. She sat on the corner where she died practically every night.



► Bonnie Cayen, 54, of London, Ont., kneels in her back yard next to the grave of her cat Maggie. The cat died Saturday after being hit by a truck.

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# Aviation changes urged after fatal crash

► Russian president vows to make changes in the wake of hockey tragedy ► Country devastated by plane crash that killed 43 people

President Dmitry Medvedev called for immediate changes in Russia's troubled aviation industry Thursday — including sharply reducing the number of airlines — as the country mourned a crash that killed 43 people and devastated a top ice hockey team.

The crash Wednesday killed 36 players, coaches and staff of the Lokomotiv Yaroslavl team, including

European national team and former NHL players, drawing new attention to the poor air safety records of Russia and other former Soviet republics.

Experts blame Russia's problems in the air on an aging fleet, weak government controls, poor pilot training and a cost-cutting mentality.

Investigators could not immediately pinpoint what caused the Yak-42 jet

to crash into the banks of the Volga River shortly after takeoff from Yaroslavl, 240 kilometres northeast of Moscow.

Workers laboured Thursday to raise the plane's shattered tail section, site of one of the plane's on-board recorders.

The two crash survivors — player Alexander Galimov and crew member Alexander Sizov — were both reported in grave condition Thursday after being flown to Moscow for treatment.

The plane crashed on the opening day of an international forum that was to showcase Yaroslavl as a modern and vibrant Russian city.

Experts say smaller carriers sometimes lack funds to properly maintain their fleet and tend to cut corners on safety.

The crashed jet was built in 1993 and one of its three engines was replaced a month ago, Deputy Transport Minister Valery Okulov said. The plane apparently struggled to gain altitude and then hit a signal tower before breaking apart along the Volga.

Okulov said federal authorities were considering whether to halt flights by the 57 Yak-42s still in service in Russia, the state news agency RIA Novosti

reported.

Some hockey fans blamed the crash on Medvedev's forum itself, which was held in the Lokomotiv arena, making it impossible for the team to play its first game of the season at home.

Thousands of fans gathered outside the arena Wednesday night to mourn the players, and some shouted "Down with the summit!" and "The summit is guilty!" Forum participants were warned to take off their badges before heading into town.

Yesterday morning, hundreds of residents prayed for the victims at the city's Russian Orthodox cathedral, many wearing team scarves as religious headcoverings.

Hundreds more came to add flowers to the growing mounds outside the city's sports arena. Some wrote notes in memory of the players and lit candles.

It was not immediately clear what measures the government could take to cut the number of airlines, many of which are small, regional operations of uncertain financial health. Transport Minister Igor Levitin said Russia has about 130 air carriers, but just 10 companies handle about 85 per cent of air passengers.

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## Hockey. Tribute



► Young woman cries next to the burning candles at the Old Town Square in Prague Thursday.

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## Mourners remember Czech hockey players

Hundreds of mourners gathered in the heart of Prague yesterday to pay tribute to the three Czech hockey players killed in the plane crash that devastated a top Russian club.

People lit candles around a simple impromptu monument in the Old Town Square formed by two hockey sticks, some wearing the Czech national team jersey and chanting the names of the three players: Karel Rachunek, Jan Marek and Josef Vasicek.

A total of 36 players, coaches and staff of Russia's Lokomotiv Yaroslavl team were killed when their Yak-42 jet crashed on Wednesday. The three players helped the Czech national team win the gold medal at the world hockey championships in 2005 and 2010.

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# Flood forces residents to evacuate

► Nearly 100,000 people from New York to Maryland ordered to flee

The rising Susquehanna River continued to rise on Thursday as the remnants of Tropical Storm Lee dumped more rain across the Northeast, closing major highways and soaking areas still recovering from Hurricane Irene.

At Binghamton, N.Y., the wide river broke a flood record and flowed over retaining walls downtown as more than 20 centimetres of rain fell in some areas. Road closures effectively sealed the city off to outside traffic as emergency responders scrambled to evacuate holdouts who did-

n't heed warnings to leave neighbourhoods.

Most of the people ordered to evacuate their homes were about 128 kilometres downstream in Wilkes-Barre, where the river was projected to crest later Thursday at 41 feet — the same height as the levee system, officials said. Residents were ordered to leave by 4 p.m.

Water levels along much of the Susquehanna were expected to be at their highest since 1972, when Hurricane Agnes devastated the river basin.

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► Trout Run, Pa., is partially flooded by the Lycoming Creek on Thursday.

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## WINNIPEG

### Texting blamed for fatal crash

A 53-year-old man is dead after a Winnipeg teen, who was allegedly texting and driving, smashed into the man's vehicle head-on.

Winnipeg police said

the 19-year-old was driving a Toyota pickup truck in north Winnipeg. Because he was texting, he failed to notice traffic in front of him had stopped, police said.

The teen then veered into the westbound lanes to avoid rear-ending the car in front of him, but instead smashed into a Dodge Neon head-on.

He was taken to hospital in stable condition. ● ELISHA DACEY

### Power out across U.S. Southwest

A major power outage knocked out electricity to more than two million people in California, Arizona and Mexico on Thursday, bringing San Diego and Tijuana to a standstill and leaving people sweltering in the late-

summer heat in the surrounding desert.

Two nuclear reactors were offline after losing electricity, but officials said there was no danger to the public or workers. San Diego bore the brunt of the blackout that started shortly before 4 p.m. PDT; most of the nation's eighth-largest city was darkened. All outgoing flights from San Diego's Lindbergh Field were grounded.

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### Housing forecast

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### Twitter looks at ads

Expect to see more ads flowing through Twitter's stream of tweets in the coming weeks, but don't expect to read anything soon about an IPO from the

online messaging service.

Twitter CEO Dick Costolo delivered that message Thursday. After bringing in more management talent and upgrading its service so it can handle big spikes in messaging, Twitter is ready to get more serious about building a successful business.

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### It could be worse

Investors run for cover, consumers quake and economists wonder if, two years after the deepest recession since the Great Depression, we are on the precipice of another pullback.

But a lot of the data is telling a different story, one that shows the U.S., Canadian and global economies are stumbling, but not falling. THE CANADIAN PRESS

# Lattes and eating out a must for Canadians

- ▶ Average consumer debt declined by \$6 from Q1
- ▶ But small expenses such as food still add to debt



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Canadians may be reducing their household debt in the face of economic uncertainty but they appear unwilling to cut back on morning lattes or meals at restaurants — a move that could net big savings.

Nearly one-third of Canadians surveyed planned to spend more of their disposable income this summer on dinners out, up from 24 per cent last year.

Spending on lunches out and morning hot beverages was also expected to increase, according to a BMO survey.

The online survey was conducted in early May, before the U.S. debt crisis.

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## Bills add up

Discretionary spending can add up to thousands of dollars each year.

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er for the Bank of Montreal, said the trend from past surveys suggests economic clouds were likely insufficient to alter spending intentions for these small-ticket items.

"It shows that Canadians value these things, whether it's dinners out or lunches out, and they're not huge expenditures but they just add up," he said.

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## HUNGRY ENGINES

## Google gobbles up Zagat

Google has bought the restaurant-review service Zagat as it tries to help people connect with local businesses.

The founders, Nina and Tim Zagat, said they will remain a part of the 32-year-old company and will use Google's resources and expertise to expand. Zagat currently offers reviews

and ratings on restaurants in more than 100 cities around the world, based largely on surveys of diners.

Google plans to integrate Zagat with its search and mapping products.

In a blog post Thursday announcing the purchase, Google said Zagat "will be a cornerstone of our local offering."

Google and other companies are trying to improve their local offerings as a way to sell more ads.

Terms of the purchase were not disclosed.

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# Finance minister eyeballs cost of tariffs on imports

► Retail Council of Canada says some sports goods, such as runners, ice skates and apparel can carry an 18 per cent tariff, driving higher prices

Finance Minister Jim Flaherty concedes that government policies regarding tariffs on imports may be one of the reasons consumer goods cost less in the U.S. than in Canada.

A day after calling for the Senate finance committee to investigate the price gap, which one survey puts at 20 per cent on average, the minister said Thursday that high tariffs may be a problem.

He stopped short of saying they would be removed or reduced.

He said that's what the Senate probe will help determine.

Tariffs on most goods between Canada, the U.S. and Mexico were phased out under bilateral and continental trade deals in the late 1980s and early 1990s.

However, there are still duties paid on some goods not covered by the trade agreements as well as a range of clothing, consumer electronics and oth-



► Finance Minister Jim Flaherty talks to reporters before the start of the Conservative caucus meeting on Parliament Hill on Thursday.

er products that come to Canada from Asia, Europe, South America and other areas. The Retail Council of Canada said tariffs are a major factor. Spokeswoman

Anne Kothawala said Wednesday tariffs can account for as much as 18 per cent on some items.

"Lots of sporting equipment, hockey skates, run-

ning shoes, track suits, pillows, cotton clothing and other items carry an 18 per cent tariff on them," she said.

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## Market moment

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## Dollar



- 0.26¢  
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## Rogers not chasing Olympic bid

Rogers Communications won't be bidding for the

Canadian broadcast rights to the 2014 Winter and 2016 Summer Olympic Games.

The company is focusing its airtime instead on the Blue Jays and Rogers Cup. THE CANADIAN PRESS

# Saab driving closer to financial collapse

Troubled automaker Saab, known for its quirky, rounded cars, moved closer to financial collapse Thursday after a Swedish court rejected its request for bankruptcy protection.

The ruling means the Swedish brand, which has

struggled financially since General Motors Co. sold it to Netherlands-based Spyker Cars in 2010, is now only days away from facing bankruptcy action from trade unions. Spyker has since changed names to Swedish Automobile.

The company has struggled to pay suppliers and staff, and production at its manufacturing plant in Trollhattan, Sweden, has been suspended for most of the year.

Swedish Automobile said it would appeal the

court's decision before the deadline on Sept. 29. It is unclear whether the appeals court will accept the request. The unions representing Saab's 3,700 employees said they would take bankruptcy action within days on behalf of

members still waiting for their August salaries.

Bankruptcy protection in Sweden is similar to Chapter 11 in the U.S., allowing a company to buy time to improve its finances and stave off liquidation. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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# TIFF, TUFF AND EVERYTHING IN BETWEEN

## THE METRO LIST

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**1** **TV a la carte:** The quintessential viewer's lament is that we have all this variety, yet there never seems to be anything on.

Well, rumour has it that you will soon be able to pick and choose your stations without subscribing to the full cable package. Just imagine all those single men with 50 channels of sports and porn.

**2** **Ice, ice, baby:** It's almost hockey season again in Canada, and no one is more excited than the city of Winnipeg. The new and improved Jets unveiled their new uniforms this week. Now let's see if they can actually play.

**3** **Dancing with the boys:** Sonny and Cher's child, Chastity, underwent a female-to-male sex-change operation a year ago. Now, Chaz's inclusion on Dancing With the Stars has sparked controversy among religious groups who claim he's an "abomination."

Shame on them for judging a man just for being born with a vagina. We will accept Chaz like anyone else and simply focus on the fact that he is unattractive.

**4** **Two and a Half Men:** The new season will begin with the funeral of Charlie Sheen's character while the real Charlie lives on. The cruel irony is too much for me to bear.

**5** **X Factor:** The most anticipated new show is unoriginal, but apparently American audiences crave more disdainful commentary from curmudgeon-extraordinaire Simon Cowell and more inane bickering with Paula Abdul. Contestants will be ridiculed at every turn. Just the kind of thing our highly evolved TV audiences enjoy.

**6** **Fall "Mad"ness:** Capitalizing on the success of Mad Men, two new series emerge this season. Pan Am and The Playboy Club are both set in the '60s, feature hot ladies in pantyhose and men in suits with shiny hair. So much nostalgia for an era when sexually repressed people drank and smoked unabashedly around toddlers, then packed them into the car for a swerve-y, fun-filled ride to their asbestos-insulated, lead-filled homes. Ah, those were the days.

**7** **TIFF:** It's TIFF time again, and Toronto will host the world's hottest stars. While the festival is always a great draw, the true beauty of the experience is the gamble, so don't get caught up in Hollywood hype.

Take a chance on the unknowns, because it's cooler and more exclusive to say, "I just watched a three-hour movie in Swahili, and have no idea what I saw."

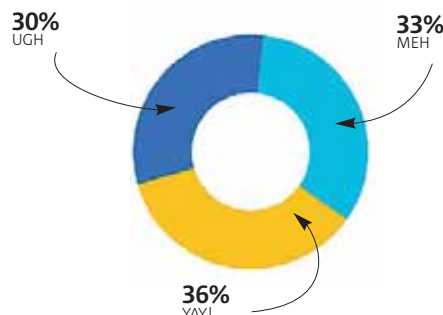
**8** **TUFF enuff:** The fifth annual Toronto Urban Film Festival is a delightful bonus for commuters. This week, subway screens throughout the city are displaying a variety of submissions. The silent, one-minute films can be a welcome distraction from the fact that you may be among strangers who have chosen not to bathe. You have to be in T.O. to enjoy that experience, but if you can't make it, visit [torontourbanfilmfestival.com](http://torontourbanfilmfestival.com).

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## Letters

RE: Editorial cartoon  
published Sept. 8

In light of the deaths this summer of three hockey players and the crash of the plane in Russia on Thursday, I found it sickening that your newspaper would publish this cartoon. It is disgusting and insensitive and should never have seen the light of day.

I can only hope that it was meant to promote concussion awareness, but come on, take another look. Too bad, I really enjoyed this paper up till now.

JOHN COLLINGS, LONDON

I am a regular reader, and I'm not usually one to complain about anything, but I just had to write in and say that I found the comic on Sept. 8 to be in extremely bad taste.

Your cover story is about 43 people being killed in a plane crash, many of them professional hockey players with families, and then think it is appropriate to run a comic poking fun at dead hockey players? This would be bad form at any time, but in light of what JUST happened I find it absolutely disgusting.

BEN SAVAGE, SURREY, B.C.

## Cartoon by Michael de Adder



## WEIRD NEWS

### Somebody had too many fermented apples again

A seemingly intoxicated moose has been discovered entangled in an apple tree by a stunned Swede.

Per Johansson says he heard a roar from his vacationing neighbour's garden in southwestern Sweden late Tuesday and went to have a look. There, he found a female moose kicking about in the tree. The animal was likely drunk from eating fermented apples.

With the help of police and rescue



► A seemingly intoxicated moose.

services, the 45-year-old Johansson later managed to set the moose free in part by sawing off tree branches.

But the animal appeared confused and wandered into Johansson's garden, where she was still resting Thursday.

Johansson said the moose appeared to be sick, drunk or "half-stupid." THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

# 2 scene

## Scene in brief



Actress Reese Witherspoon was struck by a car while jogging near Los Angeles on Wednesday morning and suffered minor injuries. Santa Monica police Sgt. Richard Lewis says the Oscar-winning actress was hit by a car driven by an 84-year-old woman.

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John Walsh and America's Most Wanted are moving to Lifetime after 2 decades on Fox.

## Synopsis

The story begins with patient zero, Beth Emhoff (Gwyneth Paltrow), an executive who carries a disease from Hong Kong to Minneapolis. Twenty-four hours later she is dead and a modern day plague has begun. Add in a meddlesome blogger (Jude Law), medical emergency personnel (Marion Cotillard, Laurence Fishburne and Kate Winslet) and widespread panic and you have SARS, Soderbergh style.

## Ratings:

Richard: ●●½

Mark: ●●●½

## Reel Guys

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► Jude Law, center, is just one of the big names in the star-studded cast of Contagion.

# The cold and clinical

► Contagion — a story about a modern-day plague — arrives just in time for flu season ► Crouse and Breslin concur; it's an entertaining medical procedural

**Richard:** Mark, Contagion is The Towering Inferno with germs, an all-star disaster movie in the mode of Irwin Allen's 1970s spectacles. It's a generally more serious affair than the Allen cheesefest but they both beat with the same pulpy heart. Each movie takes itself a bit too seriously — although the scene that gives new meaning to the phrase, "picking Gwyneth Paltrow's brain," seems geared for gruesome laughs — and has too many characters and tries, with varying levels of success, to pluck at your heartstrings.

**MB:** Well, Paltrow has always had a cerebral approach to acting, and this

movie proves it. And the "cerebral" approach extends to the rest of the movie. Unlike you, Richard, I found it a bit aloof and clinical, which fit the topic. After all the science fiction movies about bad viruses, this one is closer to actual science. And the movie arrives just in time for flu season. I had to suppress a cough at the theatre, lest I get roughed up.

**RC:** I get what you mean by the aloof and clinical remark to a point. The Lawrence Fishburne story is an effective medical procedural. It's a bit clinical at times, like an episode of CSI set entirely inside the lab, but large parts of the story seemed unnecessary.

A plot line featuring Marion Cotillard in China, for instance, could easily have been removed with no noticeable (except for the absence of the lovely Ms. Cotillard) effect and the blogger story feels forced.

**MB:** Usually movies of this type focus on one family and we see the crisis (zombies, war, Contagion) through their eyes. Soderbergh is working differently here, as if conducting a survey of how this pandemic might affect different types of people in various social groups. Only the Matt Damon thread seemed to have any real emotion; but even his story is underplayed. As far as the Jude Law blogger, I wouldn't want to have

missed his homemade Hazmat suit, which made him look like the cyborg he played in A.I. But it was fun to watch so many major actors in the small roles, especially Elliott Gould; and Demetri Martin, who barely had one line!

**RC:** I did enjoy the movie; I just thought it was a bit sloppy for a Soderbergh film. Having said that, however, it should do for touching your face what Jaws did for ocean side vacations.

**MB:** Ha! And not many people will crave Chinese food after the film. But I liked the movie, too, even if it sometimes felt like a grad thesis in epidemiology.

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Richard Roeper, REELZCHANNEL

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## Creature

**Genre:** Horror

**Director:** Fred M. Andrews  
**Stars:** Mehcad Brooks, Serinda Swan

1/2

In an age where irony, self referencing and cruelty dominate the horror film, Creature is a refreshing throwback. A gothic, old-fashioned yet gory bit of trashy monster mayhem, the pic stars genre stand-by Sid Haig as a bayou-

dwelling creep with a weird connection to a swamp demon called Lockjaw, a beastie that takes great pleasure in devouring the young, dumb kids who cross his toothy path. Part Creature From the Black Lagoon and part Friday the 13th, the fact this fun little flick is getting a wide theatrical release at all is cause for celebration.

CHRIS ALEXANDER



## Warrior

**Genre:** Action

**Director:** Gavin O'Connor  
**Stars:** Joel Edgerton, Tom Hardy

1/2

Being billed as this year's The Fighter, the mixed martial-arts drama Warrior pits two estranged brothers against each other as they each surge through the ranks of a

multi-million dollar fighting championship. Though that sounds like an attempt at selling cinematic brutality to jacked-up MMA fans, director Gavin O'Connor (Miracle) spins an emotionally-intense story that delves into family dysfunction and forgiveness despite its predictable arc.

STEVE GOW



## The Whistleblower

**Genre:** Drama

**Director:** Larysa Kondracki  
**Stars:** Rachel Weisz, Monic Bellucci, Vanessa Redgrave

Positioned as a taught political thriller and moralistic tale, the Whistleblower tells the true story of one woman's fight to expose a human trafficking ring facilitated by UN staff in the after-

math of the Bosnian war. The split perspective between Rachel Weisz's titular American character and a young Eastern European girl forced into sex-slavery gets distracting, though it emphasizes the atrocities at hand. The political coverup at the film's centre never manages to fully grab the audience's attention.

IAN GORMELY

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Stadium Seating Fri-Thu 9:35

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# The crying game

► Movie fans, pull out your hankies. Here are five films that are guaranteed to open the floodgates — every time



### E.T. (1982)

You've seen it a million times and you know what's going to happen. E.T. is going to live, and the little guy is going to phone home, and his spaceship is going to swoop down to pick him up. Doesn't matter. Those blue eyes of his, and the friendship between E.T. and Elliott never fail to draw out the tears.



### Nights of Cabiria (1957)

That famous last shot gets you every time. Fellini's wife, Giulietta Masina, is irresistible as Cabiria, the proverbial hooker with a heart of gold. She finally thinks she's found "the one," only to find he's not. Heartbroken, she smiles through tears as if to let us know she'll be all right.



### Lassie Come Home (1943)

Lassie Come Home is heart-breaking no matter who you are. Featuring a young Roddy McDowell and Elizabeth Taylor, it tells the story of a destitute family forced to sell its beloved dog. But Lassie breaks free from her new owners and treks hundreds of miles through various dangers to return home.



### My Dog Skip (2000)

Any film with a dog is guaranteed to tug heart strings. My Dog Skip also has that irresistible boy-and-his dog dynamic, which exponentially ups the cute factor. A young Frankie Muniz stars as a shy kid named Willie whose only real friend, a scruffy and lovable Jack Russell terrier, helps him open up to the world.



### Up (2009)

The whole film is lovely, of course. But it's that one poignant montage that makes the tears come in torrents. It reveals the decades-long relationship between curmudgeonly, 78-year-old Carl Fredricksen and the love of his life, his late wife, Ellie, who brought out the fun he never knew he had inside of him. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**



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# Eat and greet with Zac

MARK HUMPHREY/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

► Band hints at possible TV-food show opportunities ► Grammy winning group looking to expand

At most of their concerts, the Zac Brown Band offers fans more than burgers and chicken fingers.

Instead, they have a team of chefs prepare what the group's leader calls "real, Southern gourmet."

Now, Zac Brown may be taking his love for food to television.

"We've talked about it," Brown said about possibly doing a cooking TV show.

"We've filmed a lot of the stuff, a lot of the cooking elements of our stuff to possibly put a show together, and we definitely will do that one day."

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greet" at most of their live shows for fan-club members.

And Brown says he takes the food aspect of the show as serious as the music.

"This isn't just a chance for somebody to come eat a bag of nachos and some cheese wiz at a concert," he said.

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► The Zac Brown Band is looking to blend their music and love of good food.



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# Jonas striking out on his own

► Former idol changes up his sound

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It's tough out there for teen idols.

Two years ago, toppling the Jonas Brothers from the top of the teen pop heap seemed unfathomable. Now they seem like a distant memory when compared to the superstar status of Justin Bieber and Lady Gaga.

Now 22-year-old Joe Jonas is striking out on his own and hitting back these young upstarts with their own game. Abandoning the pop-rock sound that garnered his band Rolling Stone covers and legions of teenaged fans, Joe's debut, *Fast Life*, which drops next month, leans heavy on dance floor



MARC ANDREW DELEY/GETTY IMAGES

► Joe Jonas

beats and R&B tropes.

"I've always really been into dance music and electro music, hip hop music. I've always been really intrigued to kind of go on my own path to create something different."

Whatever the results, it's clear that Joe is ready for whatever comes his way. "You just got to have confidence going into it. And I'm feeling pretty excited and pumped to be able to hit the road."

## THE BEST ROCK DOCS EVER MADE

### SOUND CHECK



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Is a documentary to start the 36th annual Toronto International Film Festival? And a rock doc? Makes sense, really, given that the festival and the band involved pretty much share the exact same birthdate. As the first-ever TIFF was kicking off in September 1976, the band that would become U2 were having their first rehearsals at the drummer's house.

And the Davis It Might Get Loud Guggenheim-directed *From the Sky Down* isn't the only rock



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► *From the Sky Down* is showing at this year's Toronto International Film Festival.

'n' roll documentary at TIFF this year. Pearl Jam 20, a film capturing that band's first two decades — a Cameron Crowe production, no less — will also get a showing before it has a brief one-night run in theatres on the 20th.

And let's not forget Paul Williams is *Still Alive*, a film about the diminutive songwriter and actor who starred in *Phantom of the Paradise* and, more impressively,

wrote *Rainbow Connection* for Kermit the Frog.

This got me thinking about putting together a list of the best rock docs of all time. Here's what I came up with.

#### **The Last Waltz (1978):**

Martin Scorsese's fascination with rock docs began here. The Band's final concert at the Winterland Theatre in San Francisco set the bar high for years afterward.

#### **The Kids Are Alright (1979):**

I was such a Who fan that when this came out, I sat through three straight showings in the theatre.

#### **Rock & Roll: An Unruly History (1995):**

A PBS mini-series based on the writings of academic Robert Palmer.

#### **Dig! (2004):**

A side-by-side comparison of the Dandy Warhols and the Brian Jonestown massacre, two bands that emerged out of Portland on equal footing but had decidedly different (and tragic) career paths.

#### **Joe Strummer: The Future is Unwritten (2007):**

A brilliant look back at the life of the Clash frontman, warts and all.

And I know that the band wasn't real (at least when they shot the mock-doc in 1984), but every music fan needs to watch *This Is Spinal Tap*. A scary amount of truth lurks therein.

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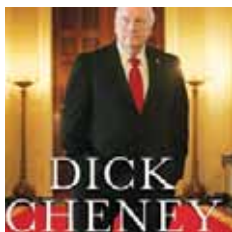
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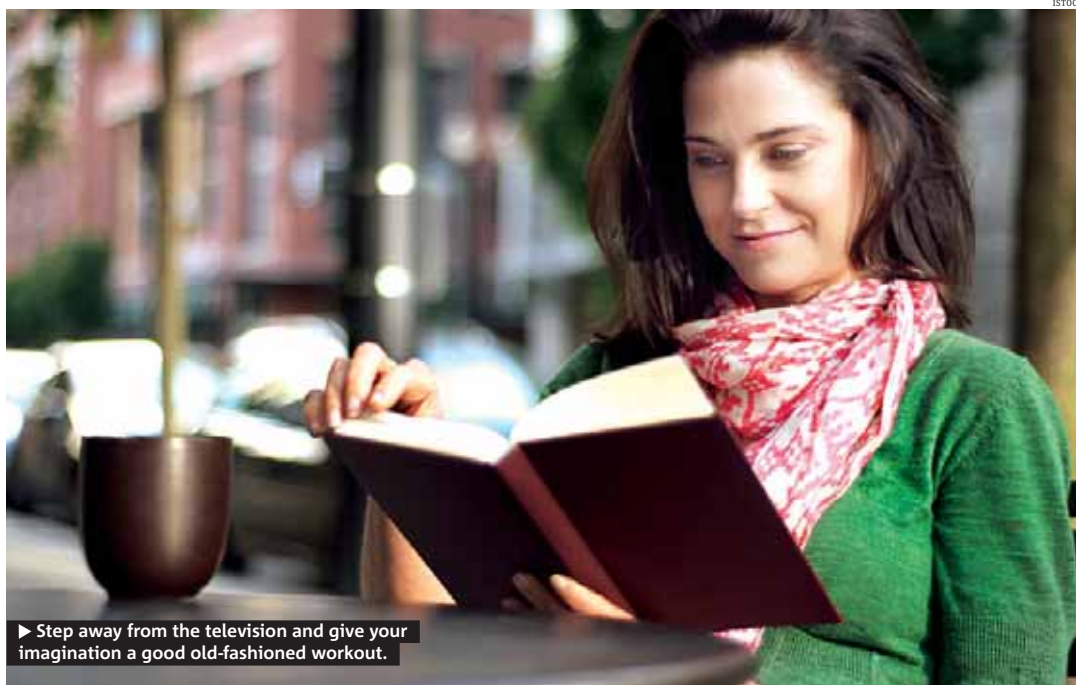
The fall will be relatively light on politics and U.S. presidents, although a pair of books will come from two of the highest officials in the George W. Bush administration.

- ▶ Dick Cheney's *In My Time*, is the most anticipated memoir from a former vice-president in decades.
- ▶ Condoleezza Rice's *No Higher Honor* covers her years as national security adviser and secretary of state.



# Cosy up with a good book

- ▶ The literary picks look especially strong this fall, say booksellers
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## The Marriage Plot

Author: Jeffrey Eugenides  
From the Pulitzer Prize-winning author of *Middlesex*, *The Marriage Plot* is a literary story about three well-read Ivy League seniors. It features a student who shares the writer's Greek heritage.



## Steve Jobs

Author: Walter Isaacson  
Walter Isaacson's *Steve Jobs* is the first authorized biography of the Apple leader who just announced that he was stepping down as CEO.

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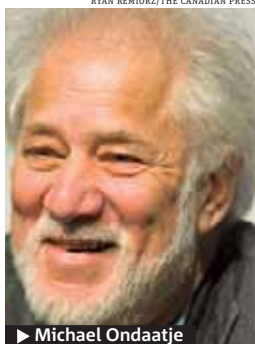
# Ondaatje could be the cat's meow this year

Novels by Michael Ondaatje, Guy Vanderhaeghe and Marina Endicott, a series of essays from Margaret Atwood, and memoirs from Michael Bublé and William Shatner are among the hotly anticipated Canadian books due out this fall.

The season is a critical one for publishing houses as they release bankable books and arrange author tours in time to build buzz before the Christmas shopping season.

"The big awards come in the fall as well so that's another consideration why the fall is so important," says Scott Sellers, vice president and director of marketing strategy at Random House of Canada.

"(The fall book season) used to be September-on, but in the last few years a couple of our really big books have come out in



► Michael Ondaatje

August. ... So the season just sort of continues to grow."

Notable titles that hit stores earlier this month include *The Perfect Order of Things* (Thomas Allen Publishers) by Governor General's Award winner David Gilmour, and *A World Elsewhere* (Knopf Canada), the latest novel from Charles Taylor Prize

recipient Wayne Johnston.

Ondaatje and Vanderhaeghe are among the finalists for this year's Scotiabank Giller Prize.

Ondaatje is up for *The Cat's Table*, while Vanderhaeghe is in the running for *A Good Man*.

Others on the list include former Giller contender Marina Endicott, and Patrick DeWitt and Esi Edugyan, both of whom are also in the running for the Man Booker Prize.

The jury — writers Annabel Lyon, Howard Norman and Andrew O'Hagan — selected 16 titles out of 143 books.

McClelland & Stewart describes Ondaatje's new book as "an electrifying" tale of an 11-year-old boy who journeys to England on a huge liner that's carrying a prisoner in the early 1950s. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

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# The talented and talentless

► Both groups welcome to audition for Canada's Got Talent ► Tryouts at the World Trade and Convention Centre



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Never underestimate a person's lack of self-awareness.

Nowhere is this mantra more apparent than on skill-based reality television, where a complete and utter lack of talent never fails to dissuade the

talentless from auditioning.

Of course, this kind of public embarrassment is what fuels ratings for shows like American Idol

and the X Factor.

And soon enough you'll be able to add a new show to that list: Canada's Got Talent hits the airwaves next spring, with auditions

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► A lineup of hopefuls for the American version of Got Talent are pictured in New York.

rolling out across the country this fall.

"It blows your mind when you do a show like this, how many people think that they've got a talent and what level of excellence that may or may not be," says John Brunton, the show's executive producer and a veteran of similar reality fare.

"I saw singers on (Canadian) Idol who thought they should be on the radio. It was like hearing nails on a chalkboard."

Anyone thinking of auditioning might want to consider some of Brunton's advice to avoid potential public embarrassment.

Above all else, he says, the producers are looking for entertainment. They want someone who is funny or unique.

And of course, they're looking for people who are outstanding in their field.

While Brunton maintains that you can't tell a book by its cover, citing U.K. singing phenomenon Susan Boyle as proof, there are certain signs that give away someone that's about to crash and burn.

"When the guy comes out on the stage and he can't make eye contact or the person is so nervous that you can see the sweat dripping off their nose," he says, "there are all sorts of tells."

That said, Brunton wants people to know that all are welcome to participate, no matter what their talent (or lack thereof) might be.

"We're not there to hammer people, we're there to celebrate diversity."

Auditions for Canada's Got Talent run from Oct. 11-12 at the World Trade and Convention Centre.

## Auditions

- Thinking of auditioning? Don't expect an Idol-like set-up with a panel of judges determining your future in the blink of an eye.
- In order to better handle the expected 20,000 entrants, every act that auditions will be taped, with

judgement reserved for behind the scenes.

- A spartan team of six to 10 producers and judges will then sift through the multitude of magicians, singers and dog acts between now and Christmas, whittling thousands down to hundreds.
- Says Brunton of the numbers: "It's staggering."

# From Degrassi to dinosaur drama

► Rising star Landon Liboiron set to star in Terra Nova ► Show imagines what it would be like to travel back to a time when dinosaurs ruled



For Landon Liboiron, getting into character on the big budget dinosaur drama Terra Nova was as simple as walking onto its impressive Australian set.

"I remember the first time the whole cast walked through the gates of Terra Nova. It was just massive," says Liboiron, who plays Josh Shannon, the eldest son of a family who finds a new life 85 million years in the past.

"We were just in stunned silent. The director said he wished he had the cameras rolling. No acting required."

Executively produced by Steven Spielberg, Terra Nova is the buzzed-about TV show of the new fall season.

It's a time travel tale about a dying future world where the air is toxic and children are severely restricted.

The Shannon family seeks a way out with a risky plan to travel through time — back to an unspoiled earth millions of years in the past.

"My character is the oldest brother and the only one really not excited about going back in time,"

**"When you're six or seven, dinosaurs are these crazy, cool things. But as you get older, they kind of lose their magic. So working on this show has really brought back that childhood magic for me."**

LANDON LIBOIRON

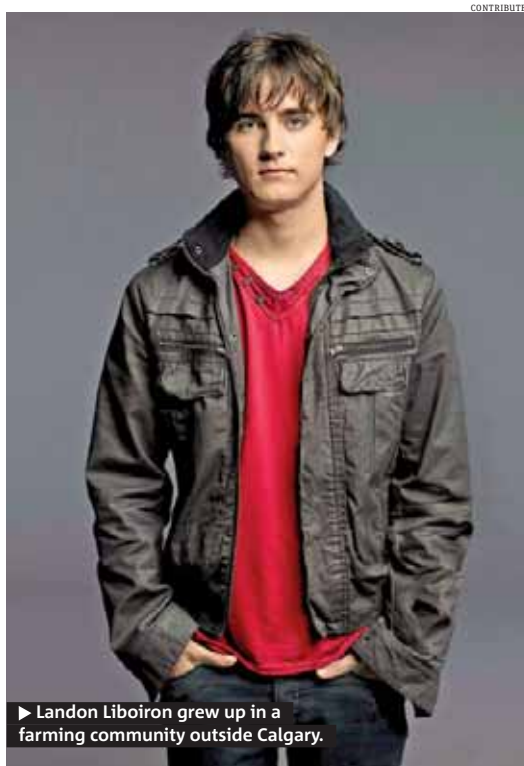
says the Vancouver-based Liboiron, who is probably best known to younger Canadian viewers as Declan on Degrassi.

"He has a life and a girlfriend and is at an age when he's starting to turn into his own man. So he's against going to Terra Nova."

But though the world of Terra Nova is unspoiled, it's not free of danger — the biggest being the local dinosaurs.

Liboiron says he's having a ball getting back in touch with his childhood love for all things dino-related.

"When you're six or seven, dinosaurs are these crazy, cool things. But as you get older, they kind of lose their magic. So working on this show has really



► Landon Liboiron grew up in a farming community outside Calgary.

brought back that childhood magic for me."

But it's not like he gets to pet the big lizards.

They're all CGI, conjured up long after the cast has left the set.

"It's really a great challenge as an actor to create

## Dino-show

► Terra Nova premieres September 26 at 8 p.m. on CityTV.

this world entirely behind your eyes."

## TV picks



## Seth Rogen takes over

**GET READY TO GIGGLE.** Fans of Canadian comic actor Seth Rogen will have a difficult choice to make Friday.

On the one hand, MuchMoreMusic is airing his 2007 breakout comedy Knocked Up, in which a hasty one-night stand extends another nine months — at least.

But then, Action is answering with his 2008 comedy Pineapple Express, in which a stoner who witnessed a murder goes on the lam with his dealer in tow (James Franco, Rogen's co-star on Freaks & Geeks, puts in a hilarious turn here).

## Footballers have feelings

**FREUDIAN HITS.** The NFL season just started, but you don't need to be a gridiron junkie to dig Necessary Roughness, a breezy new drama that makes its Canadian premiere Friday.

The show centres on Rescue Me alumna Callie Thorne, who plays a divorced psychotherapist tasked with rehabbing a

bad-boy pro football player (portrayed by Mehcad Brooks of True Blood).

The show is inspired by a true story but doesn't share any DNA with the 1991 movie — so don't hold your breath for a Sinbad cameo. (W Network)

## The old school Karate Kid

**WAX ON, WAX OFF.**

Hollywood seems to be on an ongoing mission to remake every well-liked '80s hit, but Saturday a few of the originals are on offer.

YTV is airing 1984's The Karate Kid (released 14 years before future karate-chopper Jaden Smith was born) while radX will show the Cold War-era high-school thriller Red Dawn, which will get the 21st-century treatment later this year. Meanwhile, CHCH is airing 1983's Flashdance, which actually hasn't been remade — yet.

## Something of a phenomenon

**SCI-FI SHOWS.** The sci-fi miniseries Torchwood: Miracle Day wraps its acclaimed 10-episode run Saturday, with the team travelling on a final desperate mission.

Fans of the show might feel equally desperate to see it end, but at least there's still more Doctor Who.

In tonight's episode, Amy is trapped in a facility that houses alien plague quarantine victims. (Space)

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# Cooper hits daytime TV

► Anderson debuts Monday on CTV and CTV Two ► Journalist to reveal a more personal side of himself ► Audience interaction will be key to show

Anderson Cooper helms a nightly news show on CNN, travels the globe covering breaking stories and handles occasional stints as a correspondent for 60 Minutes. But despite the packed schedule, he says his newest project — the daytime chatfest Anderson — won't wear him down.

"When you're doing something you actually really love then it doesn't really feel like work," Cooper explained earlier this year during a stop in Toronto to introduce media to the show.

"On Anderson there's going to be a studio audience of a couple hundred people and there's a lot of interaction with viewers.... That's really invigorating. That's fun and that kind of adds energy to your day rather than takes away energy."

But it will make for long days, Cooper admitted. The silver-haired newsman expects to bank episodes of Anderson on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday mornings and spend his evenings working on 360. Cooper said maintaining

his CNN gig was a condition of his move into syndicated daytime television.

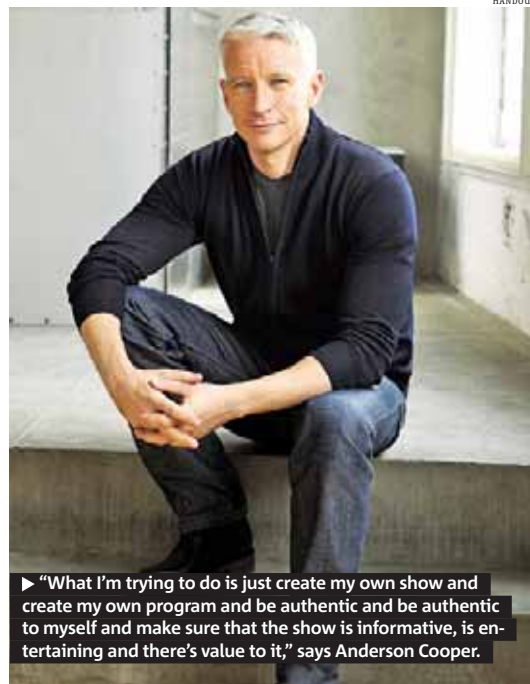
"The appeal is really about storytelling — about being able to tell stories that don't really fit onto an evening newscast," said Cooper, whose 60 Minutes reports have included lighter celebrity fare on musicians like Lady Gaga.

"At night we focus on politicians, we talk to pundits. During the day I'm focusing on real people and people who are in situations, sometimes not of their making, who are facing challenges and overcoming those challenges. We'll be doing really a full range of topics whether it's social issues one day, a big

## Skills to pay the bills

His 20 years as a journalist have included coverage of high-profile global events including the famine in Somalia, the Egyptian uprising, earthquakes in Japan and Haiti, and the war in Afghanistan and Iraq.

► **Silver fox:** His engaging delivery and distinctive coif made him a favourite among female viewers, especially — a factor that is expected to help him in his move to the more female-skewed daytime schedule.



► "What I'm trying to do is just create my own show and create my own program and be authentic and be authentic to myself and make sure that the show is informative, is entertaining and there's value to it," says Anderson Cooper.

celebrity interview the next day, some fun pop culture stuff the following day.

We really think Anderson will be one of the only shows in daytime that real-

ly covers a full spectrum of stories." **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

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## Nobody puts Chaz in the corner

Chaz Bono isn't thinking about the controversy surrounding his casting on Dancing With the Stars.

He says he's been flooded with fan support and is focused on the cha-cha.

Bono is the show's first transgender contestant, and some viewers and conservative media groups have responded to his casting with hateful blog posts and calls for a boycott of the hit ABC show.

But at a Wednesday rehearsal in Los Angeles, the 42-year-old author

and activist said he hasn't looked at the negative posts on the network's website and has received loads of support from fans on Twitter.

Bono, who began learning dance moves last week, says the controversy "hasn't taken any type of negative toll on me at all" and that he remains intent on perfecting the dance routine he'll perform in front of millions of viewers when the show premieres later this month.

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► Chaz Bono, right, and Lacey Schwimmer practice dance steps while rehearsing for the upcoming season of Dancing With the Stars in Los Angeles.

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# Hudson a 'brat': Dad

► Father has nasty words for actress Kate Hudson in his new book

Bill Hudson, Goldie Hawn's ex-husband and Kate Hudson's estranged father, has some stories to tell in his new book, *2 Versions: The Other Side of Fame and Family* — and chances are Kate won't be too thrilled about them.

"She has done stuff which is just awful," Bill writes, according to Radar Online. "She is a spoiled brat in my eyes." His biggest gripe? That Kate hasn't been in touch with her grandmother, who is battling Alzheimer's.

"Kate doesn't have to talk to me and she doesn't have to give her a dime of her millions. All I want is for her to call and say, 'Hi grandma,' before it's too late," he writes. ● METRO



► Kate Hudson

## Gaga has no problem being alone

She may be a successful touring pop star with at least two vibrant onstage personalities, but Lady Gaga admits she spends most of her time by herself — not that that's a problem.

"When you're alone as much as I am, you become accustomed to your solitude and embrace it," she tells Harpers Bazaar.

"I work about 16 to 20 hours a day. And when I'm



► Lady Gaga dressed as "Jo Calderone."

alone, I write, I imagine, I create things, and I decide how I want to do my

future performances. I don't take much time off." ● METRO

## Would Paltrow cheat on hubby?

Gwyneth Paltrow isn't judging her friends that step out on their spouses — but she's not keeping quiet about it, either.

"Life is complicated and long, and I know people that I respect and admire and look up to who have had extra-marital affairs," Paltrow said. "We're flawed. We're human beings, and sometimes you make choices that other people are going to judge ... I think that the more I love my life, the more I learn not to judge." ● METRO

# Jessica Simpson loves her twins

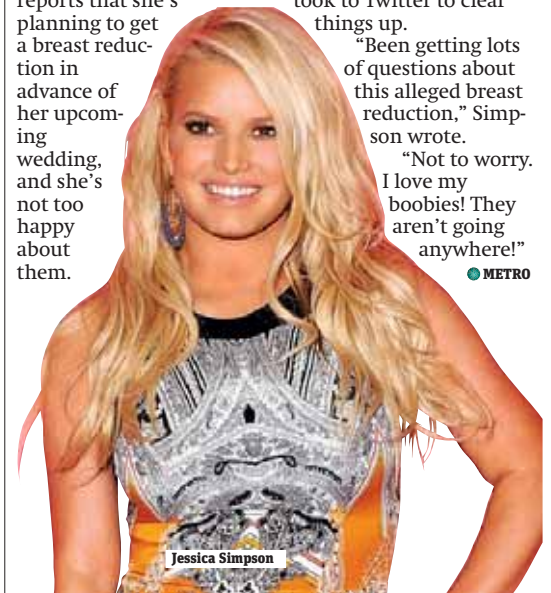
Jessica Simpson heard the reports that she's planning to get a breast reduction in advance of her upcoming wedding, and she's not too happy about them.

The voluptuous singer took to Twitter to clear things up.

"Been getting lots of questions about this alleged breast reduction," Simpson wrote.

"Not to worry. I love my boobies! They aren't going anywhere!"

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Jessica Simpson

## Celebrity tweets



Hey LA, where's the gas station parking lot that has the food trucks? Is it open right now?



@kathygriffin

@HankAzaria

Actually have a break on the set of the new NBC show I'm shooting. Which I choose to fill by tweeting, apparently.



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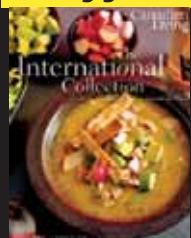
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## Going global



Canada's ethnic diversity is celebrated in a new cookbook.

The International Home-Cooked Meals From Around the World by Canadian Living magazine's test kitchen staff (Transcontinental Books, \$27.95) is a delicious culinary journey.

It boasts about 220 recipes and uses common ingredients, easy-to-find substitutes and regular household cooking methods.

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Old-style apples from yore making a comeback in many U.S. orchards.

# An Indian affair

► Dishes from India are all about spice ► As the seasons change, bring back the heat with this Tandoori Grilled Chicken and Quick Curry Chicken



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► The Tandoori Chicken serves four, while the Quick Curry Chicken makes five servings.

These recipes offer a contemporary take on Indian cooking by employing unlikely ingredients.

## Grilled Tandoori Chicken

**Preparation:**  
**1** In bowl, whisk yogurt with tandoori paste and 15 ml (1 tbsp) lemon juice. Cut chicken into bite-size chunks; add to yogurt mix and stir. Refrigerate, stirring occasionally, for 30 mins or covered overnight.

**2** Cut each peach into 4 wedges. In bowl, toss peaches, 5 ml (1 tsp) lemon juice, oil and 30 ml (2 tbsp) coriander.

**3** Thread chicken onto 4 skewers; thread peaches onto 4 skewers. Sprinkle all with salt. Place chicken on greased grill over

medium heat; grill, turning for 7 mins. Add peach skewers; grill until juices run clear when chicken is pierced and peaches are warm, 3 mins. During last min of cooking, grill naan.

## Quick Curry Chicken

**Preparation:**  
**1** In deep saucepan heat oil over medium-high heat. Add onion and stir-fry 3 mins; add mushrooms and stir-fry 4 mins. Stir in garlic, 3 tbsp (45 mL) curry paste and cinnamon; then add quartered chicken thighs and stir-fry 3

mins. Stir in tomatoes with juice; cover and reduce heat to medium-low and cook 10 mins. Taste and stir in more curry if desired. Add cauliflower and lentils;

bring to boil, cover and cook about 5 mins. Stir in cilantro and serve topped with a dollop of yogurt. Accompany with naan bread or basmati rice. **NEWS CANADA**

## Shopping List:

### Grilled Tandoori Chicken

- 50 ml (1/4 cup) plain yogurt
- 20 ml (4 tsp) bottled tandoori paste
- 1 lemon
- 500 g (1 lb) boneless, skinless chicken breasts
- 3 firm but ripe peaches
- 5 ml (1 tsp) olive oil
- 45 ml (3 tbsp) finely chopped fresh coriander
- Salt, to taste
- 4 small naan bread
- Raita

### Quick Curry Chicken

- 2 tbsp (25 mL) oil
- 1 medium onion, cut in

thin wedges

- 1 lb (500 g) sliced fresh Mushrooms (white)
- 2 cloves garlic, minced
- 3-4 tbsp (45-60 mL) mild Indian curry paste
- 1 tsp (5 mL) cinnamon
- 1 lb (500 g) skinless, boneless chicken thighs, cut into quarters
- 1 can (28 oz/796 mL) diced tomatoes
- 3 cups (750 mL) small cauliflower florets
- 1 can (19 oz/540 mL) lentils, drained and rinsed
- 1/2 cup (125 mL) chopped fresh coriander
- 1/2 cup (125 mL) plain low fat yogurt

## Historical day remembered



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I'm always amazed at how wine works its way into so many of my life's most memorable moments.

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Ten years ago this Sunday, I was at work. It was a Tuesday. I was having an average day, like so many of you. Mine just happened to involve tasting about 50 wines. A co-worker interrupted me to say a plane had crashed into the World Trade Center in New York. We turned on the TV in time to watch the second plane hit.

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# Japanese inspiration

## ► Corn Edamame Salad makes a lighter lunch choice

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► This recipe makes four to six servings.

### Ingredients:

- 125 ml (1/2 cup) walnut halves, toasted
- 50 ml (1/4 cup) olive oil
- 1 clove garlic
- 30 ml (2 tbsp) miso paste
- 30 ml (2 tbsp) white wine vinegar
- 5 ml (1 tsp) honey
- 50 ml (1/4 cup) warm water
- 375 ml (1 1/2 cups) shelled edamame
- 750 ml (3 cups) corn
- 125 ml (1/2 cup) each diced red and orange pepper
- 2 green onions, sliced
- Salt and pepper, to taste

### Preparation:

**1** Toasting walnuts: In a large dry skillet over medium-high heat, toast walnuts, stirring occasionally until lightly brown, 2 minutes.

**2** Dressing: Blend walnuts, olive oil, garlic, miso paste, vinegar, honey

and water in a blender or with an immersion blender until smooth; set aside.

**3** In saucepan, bring 750 ml (3 cups) of water to a boil and add edamame. Cook for 2 to 3 minutes. Drain and rinse under cold water and place in

a large bowl. Add corn, peppers, onions and dressing. Mix well and season to taste. Serve.

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## KOO-E NAMI ROYALE GRILL GETTING RAVE REVIEWS

Nestled inside the Dresden Row Market, the Koo-E Nami Royale Grill is cooking up a reputation as a unique Halifax dining gem.

"After trying it for the first time, many people keep coming back," says restaurant manager Yoon Tak Ok.

Located just inside the entrance on the Dresden Row side, Koo-E Nami is

stylishly decorated with pot lights on the perimeter walls and pendants hanging over the bar top. There is also Korean art throughout the restaurant.

Open for just over three months, Koo-E Nami's tableside grilling is getting rave reviews for its fabulous food and artful presentation. Every table is equipped with a hot plate in the centre, which can be used to BBQ foods.

"People are saying it's a really different experience," says Ok. "They're trying something new that they aren't used to having tried before and they are loving it."

Patrons interested in this option can choose to purchase the foods a la carte and will receive instructions on how to cook the foods from the friendly staff. There is

also an all-you-can-eat option.

"With the buffet, there are seven kinds of meat available, four types of seafood and a variety of vegetables," says Ok.

One of the things he has been hearing from patrons is just how much they enjoy the private dining experience that the tableside grilling allows for.

Originally from South Korea, Ok got the inspiration to open Koo-E Nami when he couldn't find any Korean restaurants to his liking in Halifax. At the same time, the ingredients he would need to use could be sourced without difficulty. Putting these factors together, it sealed the deal for him.

"The food is fresh, mostly made from scratch and is very healthy. Once you try it, you'll return," says Ok.



## WOULD YOU LIKE SALAD WITH THAT?

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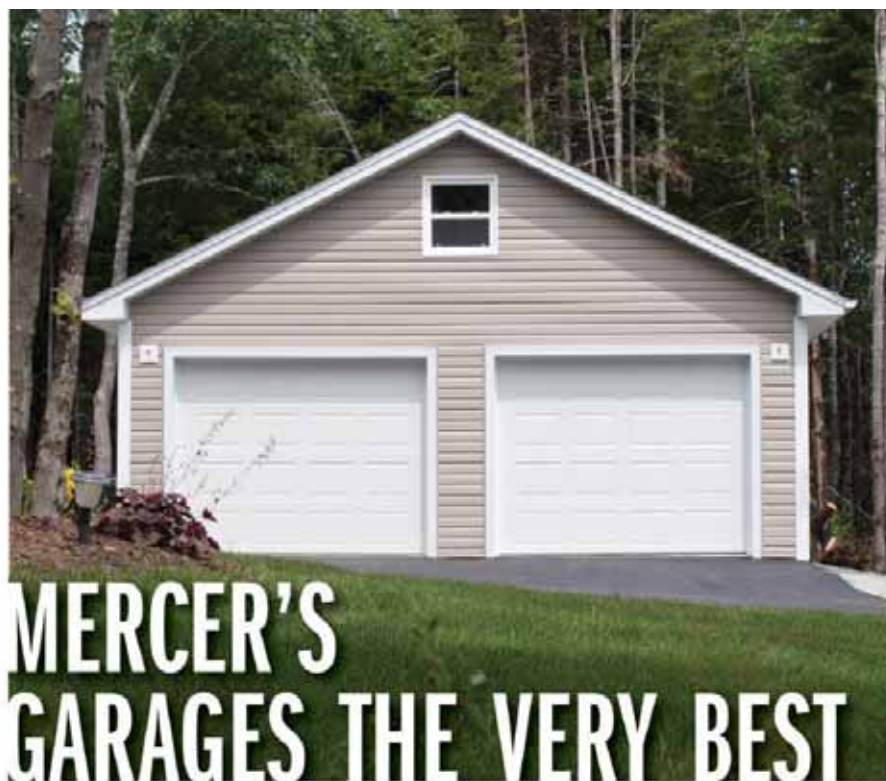
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## More sports



THE HALIFAX MOOSEHEADS WILL BE WITHOUT MARTIN FRK ON OPENING WEEKEND, AS THE HARD-SHOOTING RIGHT-WINGER HAS BEEN SIDELINED WITH WHAT THE TEAM IS CALLING AN "UPPER-BODY INJURY." THE MOOSEHEADS HAVE RECALLED RYAN DAVIS, BRANDON PYE AND JOEL BLANCHARD, GIVING THEM 12 AVAILABLE FORWARDS. ANDREW RYAN IS ALSO INJURED AND ALEXANDRE GRENIER, GABRIEL DESJARDINS AND BRENT ANDREWS ARE AWAY AT NHL TRAINING CAMPS.

# Taking the show on the road

► **Mooseheads open season with 7 p.m. road games vs. P.E.I. Rocket on Friday, Bathurst Titan on Saturday**



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The Halifax Mooseheads are hoping to prove you're never too young to win.

The Mooseheads, who open the campaign on the lower end of the Quebec Major Junior Hockey League's age spectrum, are gunning for a dramatic improvement in the standings after three seasons in the basement.

"We're still going to be young again this year, but I think we can compete with any team in this league and beat any team in this league," said 18-year-old defenceman Trey Lewis. "I don't think there's any reason we can't finish near the top."

The Saint John Sea Dogs provide plenty of inspiration. Featuring nine regulars in NHL draft years, they posted one of the best records in QMJHL history last season and won the Memorial Cup.

The Mooseheads have five players in NHL draft years and seven players aged 17 or younger.

But don't be fooled: There are also seven 18-year-olds with at least a year of QMJHL experience, so youth won't be a valid excuse if times get tough.

"I don't want to put a number on things, but we have more firepower and we've grown a lot with maturity from last year," said right-winger Darcy Ashley,

## Room to improve

### Past Mooseheads finishes:

- **2010-11:** 20-43-5 (16th, lost in first round)
- **2009-10:** 13-48-7 (18th, missed playoffs)
- **2008-09:** 19-41-8 (18th, missed playoffs)
- **2007-08:** 42-23-5 (fourth, lost in semifinals)
- **2006-07:** 32-31-7 (14th, lost in second round)

one of the 18-year-olds.

"We should be able to give everybody a game and beat those teams we had a tough time against last season."

The defence is buoyed by three 19-year-olds — Steve Gillard, Konrad Abeltshauser and Sawyer Hanay — as well as the emerging Lewis, while sophomore Anthony Terenzio and rookie Zach Fucale are showing plenty of potential in goal.

But it's the offensive attack that could make the Mooseheads dangerous. Youngsters Nathan MacKinnon, Martin Frk and Luca Ciampini have looked impressive as a top-line trio, while Ashley and over-ager Alexandre Grenier can't be overlooked either.

"We have incredible speed and we have a lot of firepower up front," Lewis said. "I think that's going to help us through the season. We're definitely going to be a fun team to watch."



► Konrad Abeltshauser, 19, will anchor the Halifax Mooseheads blue-line this season.



**"Our biggest strength is the chemistry we have among each other. We have a lot of talent but everyone's on the same page, working hard. We all have that one goal of going to the rink every day and winning hockey games."**

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# Huskies still forming offensive identity

► Defence expected to help team contend nationally ► Offence still getting settled with carousel at quarterback



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Saint Mary's Huskies head coach Steve Sumarah is waiting to see if his offence can keep pace with his defence.

"Defence is what can win games for you and I think we have a very good defence," Sumarah said. "But we obviously have to figure out offensively where we stand."

The Huskies, who host the Mount Allison Mounties on Friday at 7 p.m. in the Atlantic University Sport football opener, have yet to name a No. 1 quarterback and are understandably unsettled as a result. Jesse Mills, Jack Creighton and Mackenzie Blewett will share field time in the opener as they audition for the job.

Complicating matters is



► The Saint Mary's Huskies celebrate last year's Atlantic University Sport championship at Huskies Stadium.

an eligibility issue that will keep all-star receiver Kevin Walsh out for opening week at least.

But there is more than enough talent to work with. All-stars Craig Leger and Devon Jones form a proven

backfield and slotback Jahmeek Taylor is the reigning AUS most valuable player.

"We think we have the weapons that can win us games," Taylor said. "Week 1, we'll see how we jell together. It's going to take

time to develop our identity."

The Huskies have won four straight AUS titles but have suffered setbacks in three straight national semifinals.

"It's a long journey and

## Secondary takes lead

The Saint Mary's Huskies are hoping their secondary is a primary cause of concern for opponents.

The Huskies are pinning hopes of national contention on their defence, and the secondary — led by veteran all-star defensive backs Mark Holden and Fraser Vrenjak — is its key.

"They have the skillset to compete with anybody, and that is defi-

nately going to help us," said Huskies head coach Steve Sumarah.

Holden, who had a conference-high six interceptions, and Vrenjak combined for 34 tackles, seven interceptions and two sacks last season.

"I've been here for four years and this is the best defensive corps I've ever seen," Vrenjak said. "Everybody's doing everything right. ... We're going to look good and hopefully we can contend as well as we did last year." ● **MATTHEW WUEST**

it's very difficult," Taylor said.

The team's last Vanier Cup appearance came in 2007, and getting back won't be easy, Taylor said.

"Hard work, hard work, hard work," he said. "Bodies

need to be healthy and we need to have the chemistry and the will."

Sumarah, whose Huskies are ranked ninth in the country, said he has "no idea" whether his team will be a national contender.



► Andrew Bodnarchuk

## Bruins ink former Herd captain

Former Halifax Mooseheads captain Andrew Bodnarchuk has agreed to terms on a new contract with the Stanley Cup champion Boston Bruins.

Bodnarchuk, a Hammonds Plains native, will earn \$635,250 on the one-year deal if he plays at the NHL level and \$67,500 if he plays in the minors.

The 23-year-old had a goal and 15 assists in 75 games with the American Hockey League's Providence Bruins last season and has spent the past four years under contract with the Boston organization.

Bodnarchuk has appeared in five NHL games, all in the 2009-10 season. ● **MATTHEW WUEST**

### CANADA BASKETBALL

## Rautins steps down with 2012 bid over

The Olympic dream for Canada's men's basketball team is over and now there's a void at the top.

Leo Rautins stepped down as the coach Thursday, hours after watching Panama put the final nail in the coffin of Canada's hopes of qualifying for London 2012.

"This hasn't been a job, this has been a passion ... something that I've loved doing," Rautins said on a conference call, pausing to collect his thoughts. "I love this pro-

gram."

Rautins, whose contract was set to run through to October 2012, resigned after Panama upset Canada 91-89 at the FIBA Olympic Americas tournament in Argentina.

The Canadians finished with a 2-5 record and failed to qualify for a second-chance Olympic qualification tournament next summer ahead of the London Games.

Canada has not qualified for the Olympics since 2000.

"The players have given me everything that I've asked (but) I think for the benefit of this program going forward, a new voice in the locker room will be the best thing," said Rautins, who has coached the national team since 2005.

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► Leo Rautins resigned as Canada Basketball head coach on Thursday.

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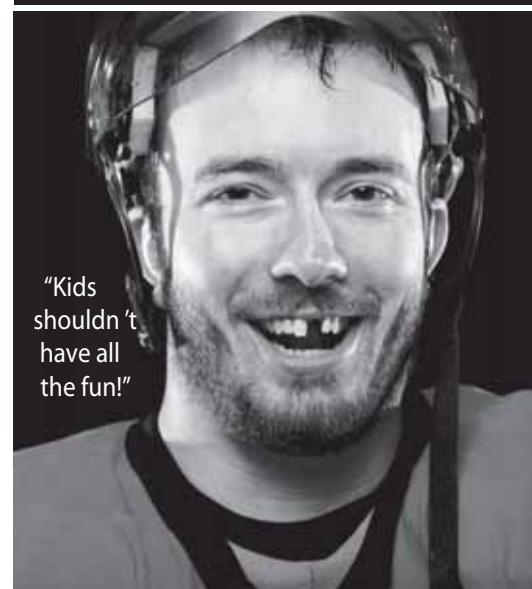
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## Jays beat slumping Red Sox to win series

J.P. Arencibia hit a three-run homer and Ricky Romero pitched six effective innings as the Toronto Blue Jays beat the Boston Red Sox 7-4 on Thursday.

Romero (14-10) held Boston to five hits, three walks and three runs over 6½ innings while striking out seven.

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Edwin Encarnacion and Eric Thames also hit solo

home runs as the Blue Jays took three of four against a team that appears to be heading to a post-season spot, but is not playing up to expectations.

September call-up David Cooper had three hits, including two doubles, and two runs batted in.

Catcher Jason Varitek

hit his 11th homer against Frank Francisco, who entered in the ninth to protect a four-run lead.

An error by second baseman Kelly Johnson and Marco Scutaro's single gave the Red Sox hope with two out in the ninth. But Dustin Pedroia struck out. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**



▶ Matt Hasselbeck waves to fans as he leaves the field.

## Not the Titans you remember

▶ Hasselbeck brings veteran leadership to Tennessee offence

Matt Hasselbeck now can look around the huddle and see both three-time Pro Bowl running back Chris Johnson and top receiver Kenny Britt. It's a combination that the new Titans quarterback says makes his job easier.

With Jacksonville's move to dump David Garrard on Tuesday and promote Luke McCown to starter, the Titans now have an edge in experience at quarterback going into Sunday's opener.

And though Hasselbeck has only practised with the team since Aug. 4, he has impressed his new teammates enough that they voted him their offensive captain. Coach Mike Munchak calls that a testament to how quickly Hasselbeck made an impression.

Left tackle Michael Roos said Thursday they trust Hasselbeck 100 per cent to make any change at the line and run the offence.

"He's been around. Every now and then, he might accidentally start calling a play that used to be for the Seahawks. He catches himself and calls

the play the right way. He knows if he sees something, he knows how to get us out of it if it's a problem and into something that'll work," Roos said.

Johnson has been around Hasselbeck only since Saturday, and he says the quarterback can make sure he knows everything needed before leaving the huddle. Johnson sees the quarterback going into his 13th NFL season as a good leader for a team trying to rebound from a 6-10 record last season.

"I feel like he's a person who can step in and get us to the playoffs," Johnson said.

That could be a lot of pressure on a quarterback, which Hasselbeck is downplaying pointing out he's just one of the new players in new places this season.

"My hope is we can be winning games as we're learning, as we're getting better, as we're working through things that my hope is we can be winning games throughout that process," Hasselbeck said

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# Colts' Manning has surgery, with return uncertain

► 'None of us know': Colts coach Jim Caldwell on when star may be back

Peyton Manning underwent more neck surgery Thursday, the third time in 19 months, and will miss not only the opening game but possibly the entire NFL season.

Losing Manning for any stretch of time is a huge blow to the Indianapolis Colts and throws the race for the AFC South wide open. The four-time NFL MVP hasn't missed a game

**"You know how important Peyton is. I think everybody has to step it up."**

INDIANAPOLIS COLTS RUNNING BACK JOSEPH ADDAI ON PEYTON MANNING

in 14 NFL seasons, with 227 consecutive starts, including post-season.

"Rehabilitation from such surgery is typically an involved process," the team said in a statement, calling the procedure "uneventful."

The Colts said there

would be "no estimation of a return date at this time. We will keep Peyton on the active roster until we have a clear picture of his recovery process."

Team owner Jim Irsay tweeted that the 35-year-old Manning would be out "awhile." **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**



► Peyton Manning

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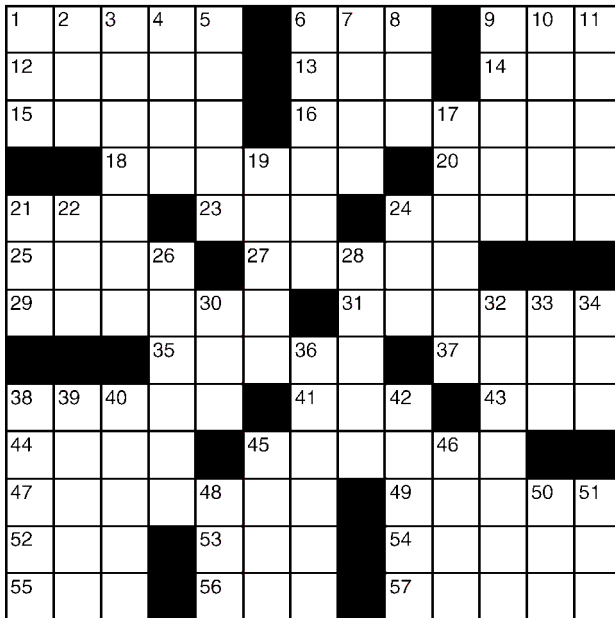
## Crossword

## Across

1 Superheroes' garments  
6 "Wham!"  
9 Noun following a prep.  
12 Tequila source  
13 — pro nobis  
14 Macabre author  
15 Riddle  
16 Wine experts  
18 Family-related, in a way  
20 Raw rocks  
21 That girl  
23 Corpulent  
24 Don't blink  
25 Mine, partially  
27 Winter warmer  
29 "Raging Bull" star  
31 Claim  
35 Comes to earth  
37 Take to the seas  
38 Bread  
41 Symbol of intrigue  
43 Crafty  
44 "— for All Seasons"  
45 Most contemptible  
47 Skill  
49 Winning  
52 "Eureka!"  
53 Scooted  
54 Trunk  
55 Mineo of movies  
56 Get on  
57 Feel

## Down

1 Upper limit  
2 Back  
3 Part of a horse's leg  
4 Always  
5 Letter line



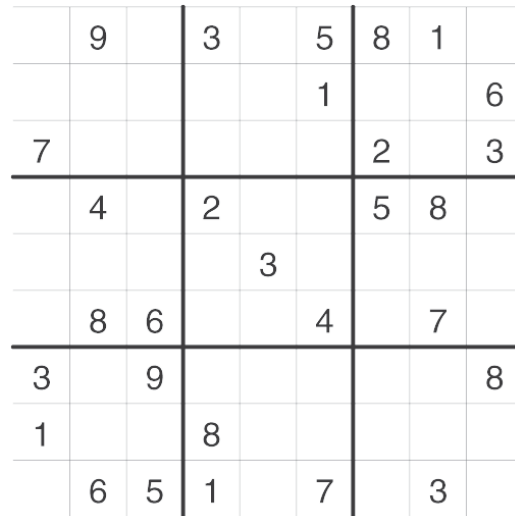
6 Spud  
7 Exam format  
8 Existed  
9 "Tosca," for one  
10 Hole-making bug  
11 Ventura or Eisenberg  
17 Comes to  
19 Breakfast strips  
21 Turf  
22 Color  
24 Scale member  
26 Mum  
28 Docket entries  
30 Shaft of light  
32 Oriental

33 Hodges of baseball  
34 TV Tarzan player  
36 Wrestler-turned-actor Johnson  
38 Half a 1960s quartet  
39 Nebraska city  
40 Twangy  
42 Triumphs over  
45 Boast  
46 Loafer, for one  
48 Historic time  
50 Nincompoop  
51 Buck's mate

## ► Yesterday's answer



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6	2	3	9	1	8	7	4	5
7	3	6	2	4	5	9	8	1
2	5	8	1	9	7	3	6	4
9	1	4	3	8	6	5	7	2
3	9	1	4	7	2	8	5	6
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## Today's horoscope

♈ **Aries** March 21-April 20 If you sit back and wait for good things to come your way, they will. Enjoy your good fortune. You deserve it.

♉ **Taurus** April 21-May 21 A friend will ask you for relationship advice. Make it clear your advice doesn't come with a guarantee.

♊ **Gemini** May 22-June 21 Honesty is essential if you are to resolve an issue that has been dragging on for weeks.

♋ **Cancer** June 22-July 22 Something will happen today that shakes your faith in your five senses. You have a sixth one, too.

♌ **Leo** July 23-Aug. 23 The Sun in Virgo will help you cash in on your insights and ingenuity today.

♍ **Virgo** Aug. 24-Sept. 22 Mercury moves back into your birth sign today, helping you to make sense of things that too often seem random or meaningless.

♎ **Libra** Sept. 23-Oct. 23 Don't take it personally if a friend is critical today. He or she is most likely more annoyed with him or herself.

♏ **Scorpio** Oct. 24-Nov. 22 You are desperate to do something more exciting, something that rises above the mundane.

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♐ **Sagittarius** Nov. 23-Dec. 21 Be more adventurous today and don't worry too much if you tread on toes — that's what toes are for.

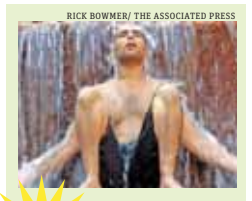
♑ **Capricorn** Dec. 22-Jan. 20 What happens over the weekend will challenge you to up your game. You're a mover and shaker.

♒ **Aquarius** Jan. 21-Feb. 18 You will have to leave something behind over the next few days. It will soon be replaced, no worries.

♓ **Pisces** Feb. 19-March 20. You will be on the go from dawn to dusk today. This evening, you'll really speed up.

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NO DOWN PAYMENT  
GENESIS COUPE 2.0T 6-SPEED.  
DELIVERY & DESTINATION INCLUDED.

HIGHWAY 6.6L/100 KM 43 MPG\*



2.0T model shown



GLS model shown

## 3 FUEL EFFICIENCY

### 2012 ACCENT

BEST-IN-CLASS FUEL ECONOMY<sup>‡</sup>

OWN IT **\$106<sup>†</sup>**  
BI-WEEKLY PAYMENT

WITH **2.90%**  
FINANCING FOR 72 MONTHS

NO DOWN PAYMENT  
ACCENT L 5DR 6-SPEED. DELIVERY & DESTINATION INCLUDED.

HIGHWAY 4.9L/100 KM 58 MPG<sup>‡</sup>



Limited model shown

## 4 DESIGN

### 2012 ELANTRA SEDAN

2011 BEST COMPACT CAR – AUTOPACIFIC VEHICLE SATISFACTION AWARDS\*

OWN IT **\$144<sup>†</sup>**  
BI-WEEKLY PAYMENT

WITH **2.90%**  
FINANCING FOR 60 MONTHS

NO DOWN PAYMENT  
ELANTRA L 6-SPEED. DELIVERY & DESTINATION INCLUDED.

HIGHWAY 4.9L/100 KM 58 MPG\*



Limited model shown

## 5 UTILITY

### 2012 SANTA FE 2.4L GL AUTO

2011 BEST-SELLING IMPORT SUV IN CANADA<sup>†</sup>

OWN IT **\$218<sup>†</sup>**  
BI-WEEKLY PAYMENT

WITH **0%**  
FINANCING FOR 60 MONTHS

NO DOWN PAYMENT  
SANTA FE 2.4L GL AUTO. DELIVERY & DESTINATION INCLUDED.

HIGHWAY 7.2L/100 KM 39 MPG\*

**5 YEAR WARRANTY**  
100,000 KM  
COMPREHENSIVE LIMITED WARRANTY\*

5-year/100,000 km Comprehensive Limited Warranty  
5-year/100,000 km Powertrain Warranty  
5-year/100,000 km Emission Warranty

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